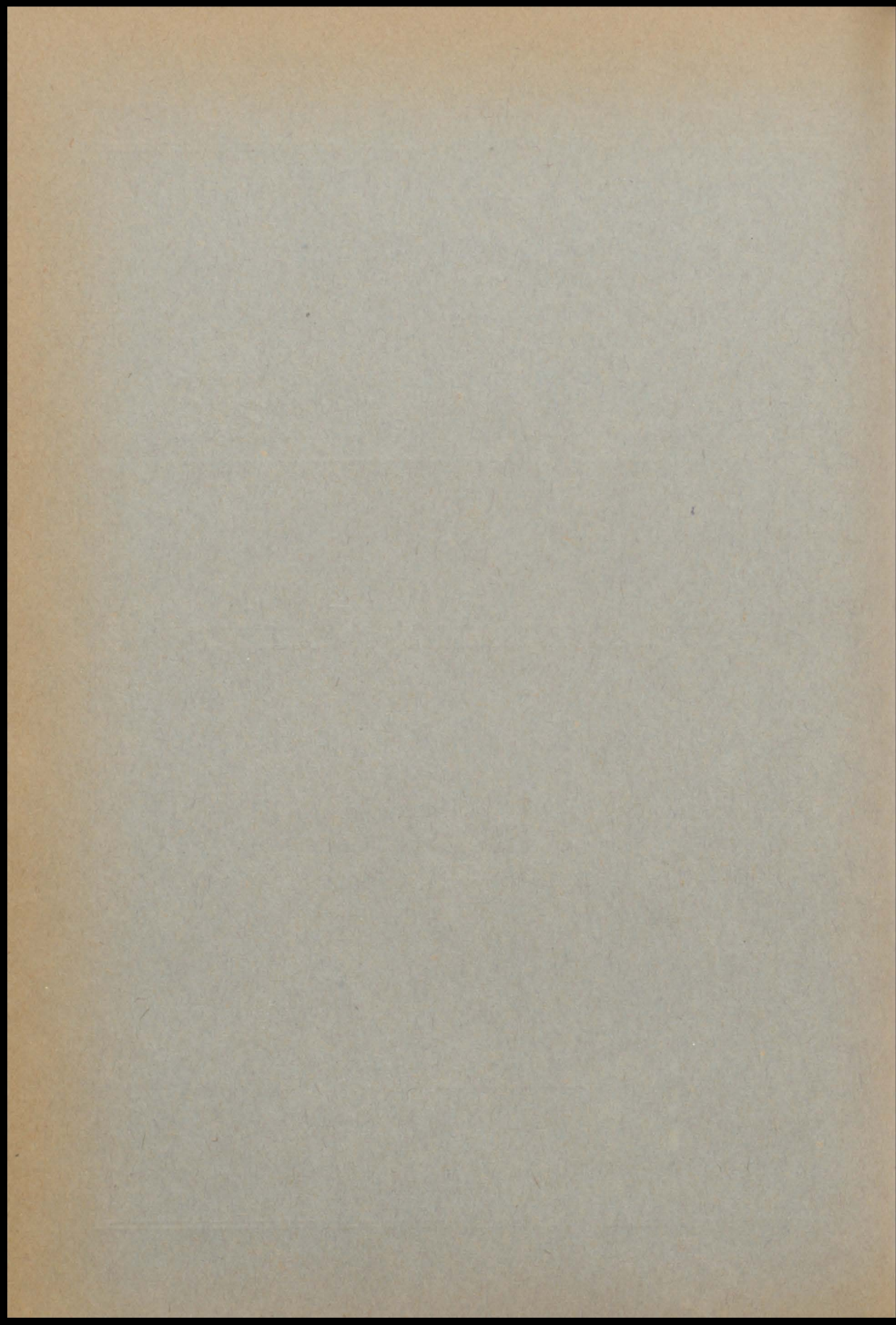


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Editorial

It pays to have an aim in life. The fellow who makes up his mind to accomplish something and who takes advantage of every opportunity of advancing himself toward his goal is sure of attaining that goal eventually. But the fellow who simply takes life as it comes, doing only the things he likes, will never accomplish any very great deed. It has been proven over and over that no man can get more out of life than he puts into it. The man who works is the man who achieves the greatest things in life—provided he has a goal to follow.

Think what a wonderful machine a locomotive engine is. Immense loads are transported across the continent. Modern industry would be at a standstill without the locomotive as a means of quick transportation. But of what use would the locomotive be without the

engineer to guide it? When an engine perchance "runs wild" without a man at the throttle, it is not only useless, but a menace. The same thing applies to men. With an aim in life, a man is like a powerful locomotive which is guided by an alert engineer, but the aimless man is like the unguided locomotive, not only useless, but a menace to himself.

So let us plod along, keeping our eyes lifted to the bright light of the goal at the journey's end. There may be dangerous curves and hard grades before us, and we may be weary long before we can stop, but when we have reached our destination we shall rejoice to think that we made the run "on time."

Choose an aim and stick to it until you reach the goal at the end of the grade of "Life."

The Unseen Voice

The sun gleamed brightly from its throne in the sky, and gently the breeze swept the meadows of fair England, when an aged man slowly wended his way along that winding pathway which seems ever to beckon on and on. He is old now and the meadows are beautiful to his sight. Once, when he rode forth with spear and helmet, he would have scorned the beautiful sunlight and whisperings of summer, saying, "Ah, let the feeble hearted wander, and enjoy these trivial pleasures, but give me my sword and helmet and let me meet the deadly foe."

As he trudges on, the scent of wild roses floats on the breeze, and he turns his eyes to behold a large iron gate in the middle of a high wall. The gate is partly open and he slips through; then his dim eyes feast upon the most beautiful sight he has ever seen. Can it be he has entered the gates of heaven? No, but surely even heaven itself could not be more wonderful than this. All around him are flowers, beautiful flowers, which seem to live, and breathe the breath of life. Spreading trees shelter rustic benches from the rays of the sun; birds and butterflies flit about the bubbling fountains—and fill the air with song.

He approaches one of the benches and sinks down to rest.

Suddenly this spot of blooming nature is transformed into a dreary waste of land, trodden only by a band of vile and slothful men; an army of unconquered villains, led by one whose heart is young and fierce. Over hill and valley they go, never tiring of their life of daring and killing.

In a quiet valley overshadowed by lofty mountains, stands a small settlement. It is at peace with the world. Its inhabitants obey the golden rule and fear no danger. They know not

how soon they will be aroused from this tranquillity. They do not see that slothful band as it descends the mountain. Only the cries of mothers and children are heard as they are driven away, never again to return to their peaceful homes which they see burned to the ground. Sadly they march away, leaving their once beautiful valley in desolation and ruin.

This scene is now changed to a huge ampitheatre filled with people. In the arena stand two men, while a little aside from these stands another, erect and defiant. He has been the cause of many saddened hearts; and now can he live and keep on killing, is the question they ask. He must choose, either to die or be cast on a certain plot of land to live apart from the rest of the world. He chooses the latter and begins his lonely life with one desire—to kill every one he meets. Many years pass, and he grows old with that one desire foremost in his heart. But there comes a day when that great yearning to be at peace with one's fellowmen grasps his heart, and he fears to die.

From that day his life was spent in righting the wrongs which he had committed. And when he heard that call from heaven he felt that he was forgiven.

The wanderer felt a hand tugging at his arm and awoke from his vision to behold a little child, with a lily which she had picked by the fountain, in her hand. "Take it," she said, and ran away as quietly as she had come.

"It is truly a voice from some unseen power," he whispered, "which shows me, by my dream, the way to forget the horrors of war, and the way to find happiness through service to others. I will go forth and impart my vision to all who may profit by it."

F. S., '26.



BESSIE MAE BEAN

Hebron, Maine, Jan. 11, 1905

3 years

Y. W. C. A. (2, 3, 4); Glee Club (4); Mandolin Club (4); Folk Dance (4).

Always a smile upon your face
To brighten up the darkest place.

WILLARD FREDERIC BEAN, "Beanie"

Groveton, N. H., Feb. 3, 1907

2 years

Y. M. C. A. (3, 4); President of Y. M. C. A. (4); Class Basketball (3, 4); Public Speaking (3); Glee Club (4); Orchestra (4); Folk Dance (4); Delegate to Boys' Conference (4); Assistant Manager of Basketball (3); Manager of Basketball (4); Commencement Play.

Although you've been with us but two years, Beanie, you have made us glad to call you a member of the class of '24; and in parting we ask that you do not let your love of nature (Brooks in particular) lead you to forget the rest of your classmates.

BERTHA MARIAN BROOKS, "Marian"

Errol, N. H., Aug. 5, 1907

2 years

Y. W. C. A. (3, 4); Y. W. C. A. Delegate to Camp Maqua (4); Editorial Board (4); Class Basketball (3); Varsity Basketball (4); Y. W. Minstrel (3); Operetta (4); Glee Club (4); Mandolin Club (4); Debating Team (4); Folk Dance (4); Commencement Play.

You are another proof that Maine doesn't produce all the good classmates, but we do wish, Marian, that you could sit still while sleigh riding.

SHIRLEY ALTA BROOKS

Grafton, Maine, Mar. 29, 1906

4 years

Y. W. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Y. W. C. A. Cabinet (3, 4); Y. W. C. A. Vice President (3); Y. W. C. A. President (4); Minstrel Show (3); Glee Club (4); "Bird's Christmas Carol" (2); Editorial Board (3); Operetta (4); Delegate to Camp Maqua (3, 4); Public Speaking (3, 4); Commencement Play.

Who ever chose you to represent Service in the Commencement play must have learned as we have that your salute means "At Your Service."

EDWARD HYDE CARLSON, "Eddie"

Iehang, China, Jan. 3, 1906

1 year

Glee Club (4); Class Vice President (4); Y. M. C. A. (4); Varsity Track (4); Manager of Tennis (4); Editorial Board (4); Folk Dance (4); Commencement Play.

We have been glad to have such an efficient cheer leader for the Seniors and, knowing the circumstances, we will excuse you for the times when you have cheered the Juniors.

ALICE HAZEL CHAPMAN

Bethel, Maine, Aug. 10, 1908

4 years

Y. W. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4).

Although you were the "baby of the class" no one could accuse you of doing kindergarten work.

WILLIAM CHALMERS CHAPMAN, "Bill"

Portland, Maine, April 3, 1907

4 years

President of Class (3, 4); Y. M. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Y. M. C. A. Treasurer (3); Class Basketball (1, 2, 3, 4); Manager Baseball (4); Class Track (2); Delegate to Boys' Conference (1, 3, 4); Public Speaking (2); Folk Dance (4); Commencement Play.

After having had four years practice as a jester your part in the Commencement Play cannot help being a success, and we sincerely hope you will meet with as great success in whatever you undertake.

TAYLOR DANFORTH CLOUGH, "Ted"

Wakefield, Mass., Aug. 23, 1906

4 years

President of Class (1, 2); Vice President (3); Y. M. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Delegate to Boys' Conference (1, 4); Glee Club (1, 2, 4); Orchestra (4); President of Glee Club (4); Folk Dance (4); Assistant Manager of Herald (3); Manager of Herald (4); Public Speaking (1, 2, 3, 4); "Bird's Christmas Carol" (2); Colby Prize Speaking (4); Editorial Board (2); Salutatory.

This spring you have given us ample proof of the old quotation,

"In the spring

A young man's fancy

Lightly turns to thoughts of love."

But my! What a surprise!!





RUTH EAMES EMERY

Bethel, Maine, May 3, 1906

4 years

Y. W. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Glee Club (2, 4); Minstrel Show (3); Operetta (4); Mandolin Club (4); "Tale of Two Cities" (4); Folk Dance (4); Commencement Play.

We can plainly see that you believe in the expression "Tell it to Sweeney."

ELSIE PEARL FLINT, "Elsie Pearl"

North Newry, Maine, Nov. 11, 1906

4 years

Y. W. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Public Speaking (3, 4); Minstrel Show (3); Operetta (4); Glee Club (4); Mandolin Club (4); Commencement Play.

Elsie, you have been an ideal classmate, although we know that at times this past year your mind has wandered to other institutions.

ROBERT ENOCH FOSTER, "Enoch"

Newry, Maine, Aug. 30, 1905

4 years

Y. M. C. A. Play (1); "Tale of Two Cities" (4).

Enoch, we surely shall miss you coming to school every morning with your noble white steed.

BERNICE NINA HAINES, "Bunny"

East Bethel, Maine, Mar. 18, 1906

4 years

Editorial Board (3, 4); Y. W. C. A. (3, 4); Y. W. C. A. Cabinet (4); Delegate to Camp Maqua (4); Class Basketball (3, 4); Class Ode.

Bunny, we foresee a brilliant future for you along literary lines and shan't we be proud of you when we see a set of books entitled, "Haines' Most Famous Works."

RUTH ELLA HASTINGS

Auburn, Maine, Feb. 24, 1907

4 years

Class Secretary and Treasurer (1); Y. W. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Y. W. C. A. Cabinet (4); Public Speaking (2, 3); Delegate to Camp Maqua (4); Minstrel Show (3); Glee Club (4); Mandolin Club (4); Operetta (4); "Bird's Christmas Carol" (2); Folk Dance (4); Commencement Play.

Ruth, by virtue of her economy (in automobile seating space) finds but one "Bill" awaiting her.

EMELINE VIENNA HEATH

Gilead, Maine, Nov. 5, 1907

4 years

Y. W. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Operetta (4); Glee Club (4); Class Basketball (4); Debating Team (4); Presentation of Class Gift.

It was your convincing arguments that won the day for us at the debate—Seniors vs. Juniors.

GARDINER WENDALL HERRICK, "Pete"

Bethel, Maine, Mar. 2, 1903

5 years

Pete, how would the physics class ever have finished its course had it not been for your willingness to supply the needed apparatus at all times.

ERNEST LLEWELLYN HOLT

Hanover, Maine, May 22, 1905

4 years

Y. M. C. A. (1); Class Basketball (3); "Tale of Two Cities" (4); Commencement Play.

Ernest, you have proved to us by your splendid rank that you can be depended upon at all times.





HILDRED CATHERINE KEDDY, "Wuzzy"

Mahone Bay, Nova Scotia, Dec. 18, 1905

4 years

Class Secretary and Treasurer (2); Y. W. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Class Basketball (1); Varsity Basketball (2, 3, 4); "The Outsider" (3); Minstrel Show (3); Glee Club (4); Operetta (4); Folk Dance (4); Commencement Play.

Hildred, our athlete, can make friends without half trying, but her keenest interest is in Boston University students.

LILLA EDNA MORSE

Hanover, Maine, Nov. 24, 1906

4 years

Y. W. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Class Basketball (1, 2, 3, 4); "Bird's Christmas Carol" (2); Public Speaking (1, 2, 3); Minstrel Show (3).

They say "greatness isn't measured by inches" and we've found that to be true by your record here at Gould's.

WALDO DOUGLAS PEASLEE, "Peas"

Bethel, Maine, June 12, 1904

3 years

Varsity Track (2, 3, 4); Manager Track (3, 4); Class Track (2, 3, 4); Class Basketball (2, 3, 4).

You are so partial to Brown, "Peas," that we have been expecting to see you appear in your car with a new coat of brown paint. Or perhaps you don't care for brown within and brown without?

FREDDIE BENJAMIN PHILBRICK

Frye, Maine, June 12, 1903

4 years

Pres. Undergraduate Ass'n. (4); V. Pres. (3); Class V. Pres. (2); Y. M. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); V. Pres. Y. M. C. A. (3); Class Basketball (2, 3, 4); Class Track (3, 4); Varsity Track (4); Varsity Baseball (4); Public Speaking (1, 2, 3, 4); Colby Prize Speaking (3); Debating Team (4); Boys' Conference (3, 4); Orchestra (4); Glee Club (4); Folk Dance (4); Commencement Play.

Although you've baffled us many times with combinations of extracts from Webster's masterpiece, we have learned to appreciate your strenuous efforts to strengthen our vocabularies and we regret that we shall not always have you with us to supply the necessary word at the right time.

HAZEL MAY SANBORN

Albany, Maine, Feb. 10, 1906

4 years

Y. W. C. A. (4); Class Basketball (3); Varsity Basketball (4).

We understand you are to be a nurse and hope that you have success with your patients.

GENIE LOUISE SAUNDERS

Hanover, Maine, Aug. 15, 1907

4 years

Class Secretary and Treasurer (3, 4); Y. W. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Y. W. C. A. Cabinet (4); Delegate to Y. W. C. A. Conference (3); Delegate to Camp Maqua (4); Operetta (4); Public Speaking (1, 2, 3); Class Basketball (4); Commencement Play.

Genie, we know that your winning personality will help you to make many friends along life's way.

ARDEALIA LOUISE SHORDON, "Sneezers"

Bismarck, North Dakota, Apr. 3, 1905

4 years

Editorial Board (1); Y. W. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Y. W. C. A. Cabinet (3); Glee Club (4); Class Basketball (4); Folk Dance (4); Commencement Play.

"Sneezers" has a mind of her own. Not so, however, with her heart.

TRESSA SIDELINGER

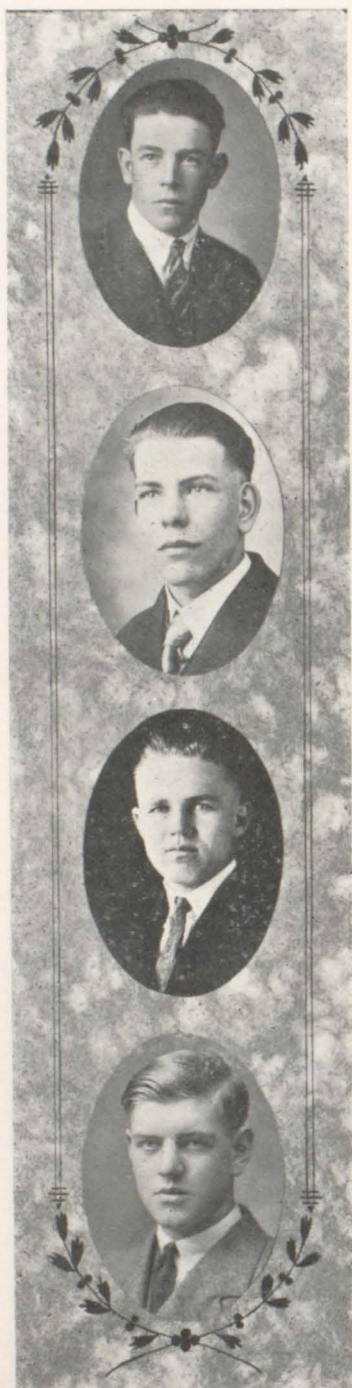
Boothbay, Maine, Apr. 13, 1907

3 years

Y. W. C. A. (1, 3); Class Basketball (3, 4).

Tressa left us for a while, but evidently she missed us as much as we missed her, for she came back to us.





HUGH WALLACE STEARNS

Albany, Maine, Oct. 21, 1906

4 years

Class Basketball (3, 4); Class Track (3, 4); Varsity Track (3, 4).

Hugh, you certainly have helped to win many victories for the Seniors and we hope you win as many for yourself as you go through life.

ELMER ALBERT STEVENS, "Steve"

Bethel, Maine, Nov. 2, 1905

4 years

Class Basketball (1, 2, 3, 4); Varsity Baseball (4).

Steve, we're mighty glad you are one of us.

CHARLES HENRY SWAN, "Charlie"

Medford, Mass., May 30, 1905

4 years

Varsity Track (2, 3, 4); Varsity Basketball (2, 3, 4); Y. M. C. A. (2, 4); Class Basketball (2); Class Track (2, 3, 4); Glee Club (4).

We understand that you have high ideals. That is very commendable for a young man.

EDWARD ROBERT SWAN, "Ted"

Bethel, Maine, July 31, 1907

4 years

Y. M. C. A. (1); Class Track (2); Class Basketball (1, 2, 3, 4); Varsity Basketball (4); Varsity Baseball (4).

Ted appears a trifle bashful in class but he feels at home on the ball field. But then, he'll pass in both places with credit.

DONALD NICKERSON SWEENEY, "Don"

Howland, Maine, Dec. 23, 1906

4 years

Class Basketball (1, 2, 3); Varsity Basketball (3, 4); Y. M. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Delegate to Boys' Conference (3); Class Track (2, 3, 4); Debating Team (4); "Tale of Two Cities" (4); Folk Dance (4); Commencement Play.

Just a glance at Sweeney's picture and you will partially understand why we all think him such a good sport and classmate.

ALFREDA EMILY WHEELER, "Freda"

Bethel, Maine, Feb. 1, 1908

4 years

Y. W. C. A. (3, 4); Delegate to Camp Maqua (4); Y. W. C. A. Cabinet (4); Minstrel Show (3); Operetta (4); Editorial Board (3, 4); Assistant Editor-in-Chief (4); Mandolin Club (4); Glee Club (2, 4); Debating Team (4); Valedictory.

It would be hard to find anyone who has taken more interest in school and school work during these four years than Alfreda has. We expect that you will be equally distinguished in other fields, Freda.

MILDRED EVELYN YORK

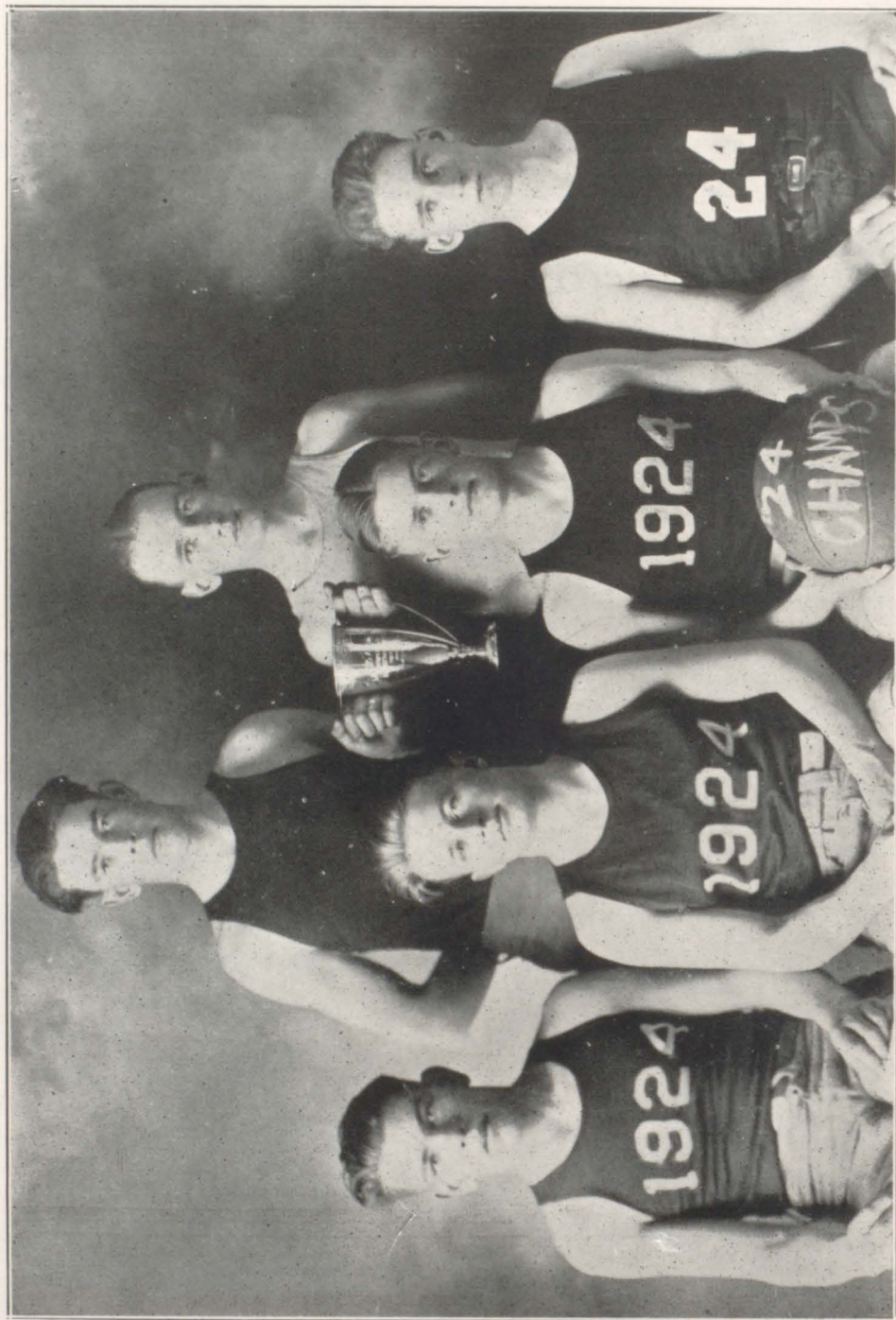
Magalloway, Maine, Aug. 1, 1906

4 years

Y. W. C. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Class Basketball (3); Varsity Basketball (4); "The Outsider" (3); Editor-in-Chief of the Academy Herald (4); Delegate to Camp Maqua (4); Commencement Play.

Mildred doesn't stand up and holler herself hoarse, but just take a glance at her record.





Front Row: Stevens, Philbrick, Chapman (Capt.), Bean
Back Row, left to right: Stearns, Peaslee

Senior Basketball Team

Although several of the Senior boys were members of the splendid varsity team this year, a class team was chosen from the remaining boys. Out of the six games played three were won from the "Invincible" Juniors and one from the "Famous" Sophomores, the Sophomores trimming us twice. For the second time during our four years at Gould's we won the cup.

Our closest and hardest game was with the Juniors. When there were only two minutes left to play, we had only three men on the floor, due to the personal foul rule, and the score was 27 to 23 in our favor. However, the determined effort of the remaining boys won the game for the Seniors by a score

of 27 to 25.

The result of the games and the Senior lineup is as follows:

Seniors 23	Juniors 19
Seniors 12	Sophomores 16
Seniors 17	Juniors 10
Seniors 27	Sophomores 15
Seniors 27	Juniors 25
Seniors 19	Sophomores 25

Totals 125

Opponents 110

Senior lineup:

Lf., Stearns.

Rf., Chapman, [Capt.]

C., E. Swan.

Lg., Philbrick.

Rg., E. Stevens.

Subs., Peaslee, Bean.



Back Row, left to right: Fossett (Coach), Mundt, Thurston, Bean (Mgr.)
 Front Row: Swan, Goddard, M. Berry (Capt.), W. Berry, Keniston, Sweeney

Basketball

Gould's has ended her most successful basketball season since that of 1908, by winning thirteen games and losing only two. One game was lost to Berlin High School by two points in a five minute overtime period at Berlin, N. H.; the second game was lost to Biddeford High School at the Bates Tournament by one point after Gould's had led all the way.

This is a record for any team or school to be proud of, as only one game was lost in this state.

Our team garnered six hundred and fifty-two points to our opponents three hundred and sixty-five which is a large margin as our scores on the average were nearly double those of our opponents.

Some of the high calibre teams that we played were Berlin, Lancaster, Thornton, Westbrook Seminary, Rockland, Gorham Normal and Biddeford High which was the winner of the Bates Tournament.

Gould's made a wonderful showing at Lewiston as the best basketball officials considered Gould's as having the best playing team on the court. Four of our men were chosen for the All-Bates scholastic team. Those winning the honors were: Walter Berry, who was given the position of right forward, Capt. "Mad" Berry received the pivot position, while "Bob" Goddard was first sub forward and "Charlie" Swan was first sub guard. We were the only school to have two men chosen as regulars for this team. Our team received

great backing by the students, faculty and townspeople and in return for this they played their best and did not disappoint their supporters as their record shows. The members of the team worked as a powerful machine for their "Alma Mater" as there were no individual stars of the season and all did their part.

At the end of the season the team was given a reception in the "Gym" where they were awarded their "G's". The following received their letters: Cap't. "Mad" Berry, Walter Berry, "Bob" Goddard, "Frank" Keniston, "Charlie" Swan, "Don" Sweeney, Guy Thurston and Manager Willard Bean. Coach Fossett and the first seven players were presented with miniature gold basketball watch charms by the alumni. These charms were engraved with the letters, G. A. '23-'24. Coach Fossett in behalf of his excellent work was presented with a set of gold cuff links by the faculty. After other awards there was dancing. The dance orders were of a very unique design and received much favorable comment.

At a later meeting Walter Berry was elected Captain of next year's team. We have great hopes of a winning team next fall as we are to have the following with us next year: Captain-elect Walter Berry, "Mad" Berry, "Frank" Keniston, "Bob" Goddard and several of the squad with whom we hope to be able to put over even a stronger team than that of this year.



Back Row, left to right: Mundt, Clough, Thurston, York, Holmes, Keddy, Carlson, Stanley
 Front Row: Linnell, Haines, Davis, Wheeler, Sanborn, Brooks

Editorial Board

School is no sooner begun than preparations are made for the first publication of the Academy Herald. The editorial board is chosen by the faculty, the work is divided and each member of the board is made responsible for a definite portion.

This year several changes were made in the first two issues, the most noticeable of which was the new cover which was designed by Emeline Heath. Among other changes was the "School Directory" which took the place of the "Quo-

tations Applied," so popular for years past, and the enlarged Literary Department.

Much credit is due to the very efficient manner in which the Editor-in-Chief has carried on the work, also to the business manager on whom depends the financial success of the Herald.

With this Senior number the work of the present editors ends. They wish to express their appreciation for the splendid support given by the student body.



Back Row, left to right: Morris (Coach), Sawyer, Curtis, Bearee, Brooks
 Front Row: York, F. Sanborn, Keddy (Capt.), Hanscom, H. Sanborn

Girls' Basketball

The girls' basketball team succeeded in winning three games out of the six played.

One of the most interesting games played was with the alumni in which the Gould's girls won by a score of 41 to 12.

The closest games played were with Norway and Groveton. In the Norway game Gould's lost by one point, and in the Groveton game won by one point.

Although the season was not especially successful it was greatly enjoyed, and much enthusiasm was shown.

The summary was as follows:

Gould's 23	Norway 24
Gould's 25	Groveton 24
Gould's 41	Alumni 12
Gould's 20	Berlin 41
Gould's 16	Berlin 44
Gould's 29	Norway 18



Back Row, left to right: Wheeler, Carlson, Philbrick, Fossett (Coach), Kendall, Stanley, Thurston, Stearns
 Front Row: Mundt, Keniston, Peaslee (Mgr.), Berry (Capt.), Swan, Brown, Sessions

Track

There is every evidence that Gould's Academy will be represented this year by one of the strongest track teams the school has ever produced. The schedule arranged by Manager Peaslee includes five track meets, each of which provides for strong competition. The schedule is as follows:

- May 10. New Hampshire State Meet at Durham, N. H.
- May 17. North Country Meet at Berlin, N. H.
- May 24. Bates Interscholastic Meet at Lewiston, Maine.
- May 31. Bowdoin Interscholastic Meet at Brunswick, Maine.
- June 7. Abbott School Interscholastic Meet at Farmington, Maine.

The track candidates have had several weeks of careful training under the direction of Coach Fossett, and every man is in condition to do his very best. Only eight men can be taken to the first meet at Durham, N. H., and these men have been chosen by vote of the veteran track men.

Coach Fossett intends to take as many as possible to the North Country Meet at Berlin, N. H., on Saturday, May 10. The men who make the best showing at these first two meets will doubtless be the ones chosen to represent Gould's at the remaining three meets.

Early in April an inter-class track meet was held in the William Bingham Gymnasium, largely for the purpose of discovering material for the track team later on. The meet was won by the Seniors, with Charles Swan as high point man. The results of this meet were as follows:

Mile Run: Won by C. Swan '24; W. Peaslee '24, 2nd; Philbrick '24, 3rd.

220 Yard Dash: Won by Sessions '25; Brown '25, and C. Swan '24, tied for second place.

440 Yard Dash: Won by Swan '24; Peaslee '24, 2nd; Sessions '25, 3rd.

880 Yard Run: Won by C. Swan '24; Peaslee '24, 2nd; Stanley '26, 3rd.

Standing Broad Jump: Won by Stearns '24; Holmes '25, 2nd.

Running Broad Jump: Won by Keniston '26; Berry '25, 2nd; Sessions '25, 3rd.

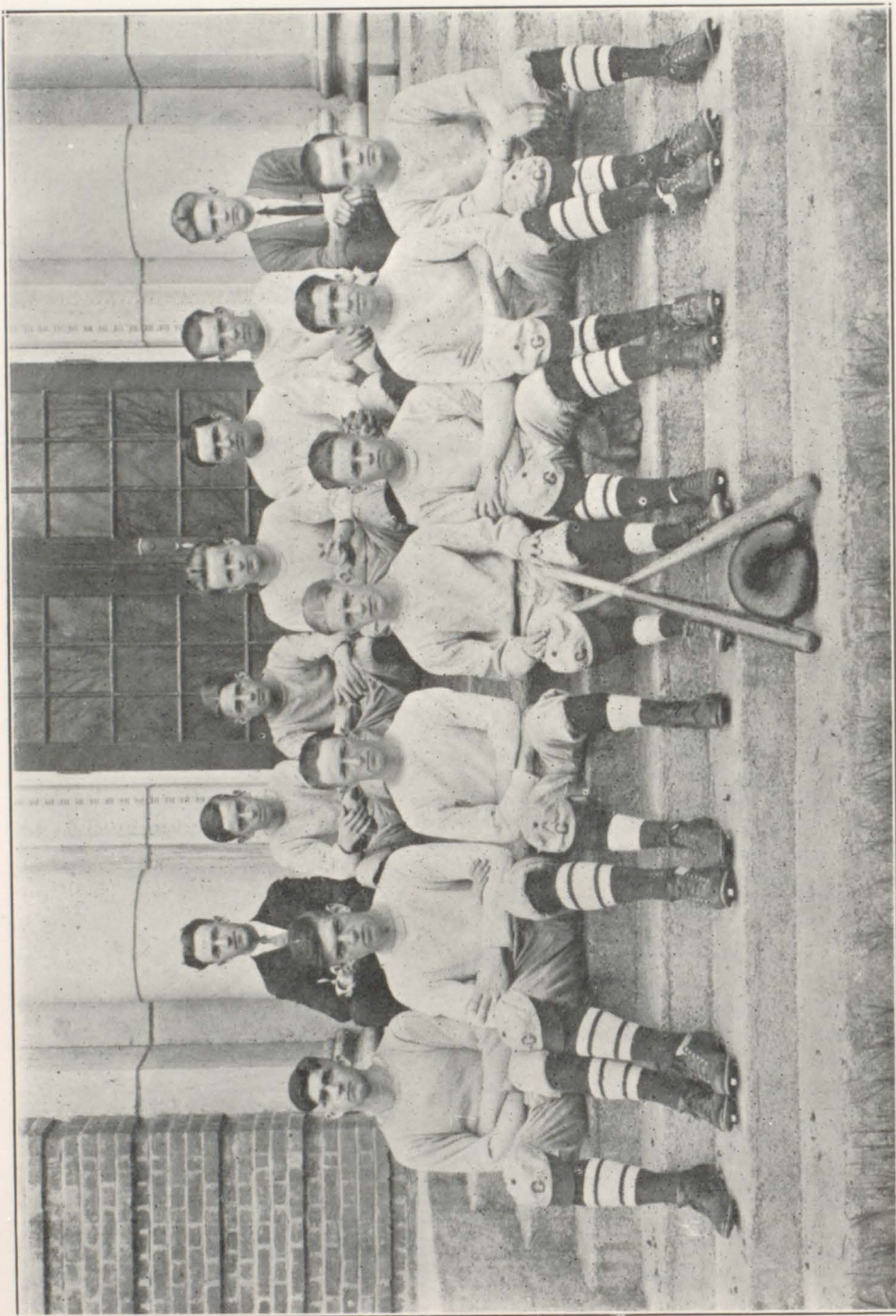
Running High Jump: Won by Mundt '25; C. Swan '24, 2nd; Keniston '26, and Stearns '24, tied for third place.

Shot Put: Won by Keniston '26; W. Berry '25, 2nd; Carlson '24, 3rd.

Pole Vault: Won by Keniston '26; Sessions '25, 2nd; W. Berry '25, 3rd.

Relay: Won by Juniors; Seniors, 2nd; Sophomores 3rd.

The winners of first, second and third place were awarded with blue, red and white ribbons, respectively. On the whole, the meet was very successful and brought to light much valuable material.



Back Row, left to right: Fossett (Coach), Hamlin, Thurston, Philbrick, E. Chase, Stevens, Chapman (Mgr.)
 Front Row: M. Berry, Swan, R. Chase, Goddard (Capt.), Holmes, W. Berry, Keniston

Baseball

About twenty candidates reported to Coach Fossett for the baseball team. There are five players remaining from last year's team: Goddard, W. Berry, M. Berry, Holmes and Keniston. The new members consist of E. Swan, R. Chase, Hamlin, E. Chase, Sessions, Cockery, Philbrick, Thurston and Stanley.

It was necessary to cancel our first two games because of bad weather.

Five games have been played thus far and Gould's has won from Dixfield, Lisbon Falls and Rumford, and lost to Groveton, N. H., and Mexico.

The team is improving rapidly with every practice and we have high hopes of several victories.

